

## Acceptable Materials

### Household:

- Cleaners
- Mothballs
- Photo chemicals
- Full/partially-full aerosols
- Arts & crafts supplies
- Batteries: button or recyclable
- Mercury Thermometers
- Fluorescent light bulbs

### Garage:

- Hand-held propane torch cylinders
- Old chemistry kits
- Transmission fluid
- Gasoline, kerosene
- Waxes and polishes
- Brake fluid
- Rust preventatives

### Workshop:

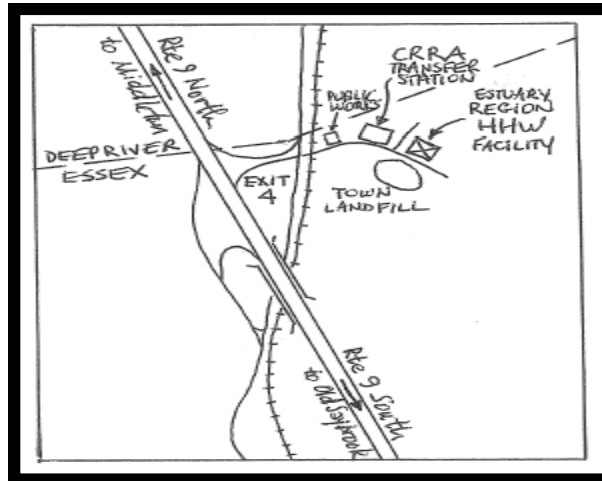
- Wood preservatives
- Wood strippers
- Oil-based paint
- Latex paint
- Lead-based paint
- Paint thinner
- Degreasers
- Solvents
- Sealants

### Yard/Garden:

- Weed killer
- Insect sprays
- Rodent poison
- Muriatic acid/pool chemicals

## Unacceptable Materials

- **Explosives, fireworks, ammunition** – State Police, local marinas
- **BBQ Propane tanks**– Deep River RentAll
- **Fire extinguishers** – Shoreline Fire Extinguishers, Old Saybrook
- **Empty aerosol cans**–recycling
- **Drugs**– dispose in trash
- **Bottled Gas**– Airgas, Waterford



### Directions to Household Hazardous Waste Facility

**5 Dump Road, Essex, CT**

#### **From Rte. 9 North:**

Exit 4— Straight off exit ramp, cross over RR tracks . Drive to the top of the hill. HHW facility is on the left (past CRRRA/MIRA & Transfer Station)

#### **From Rte. 9 South:**

Exit 4 - Go left off exit ramp, turn right at light, cross over RR tracks .....HHW on the left.



## HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE

Collections and

## PAPER SHREDDING

Events

# 2017

Selected Saturdays  
April through October

Identification  
required

No fee to  
Participate

For information: [www.rivercog.org](http://www.rivercog.org)  
[info@rivercog.org](mailto:info@rivercog.org)  
860-581-8554

**2017**

**Events for the 10 towns of:**

Chester, Clinton, Deep River, Essex, Haddam,  
Killingworth, Lyme, Old Lyme, Old Saybrook  
and Westbrook

**Household Hazardous Waste**

**Selected Saturdays**

**9 a.m. - 1 p.m.**

**Essex HHW Facility**

Rte. 9, Exit 4, Dump Road, Essex

**May 6th and May 20th**

**June 3rd and June 24th**

**July 15th**

**Aug 12th**

**Sept 9th**

**Oct 7th and Oct 28th**

**Paper Shredding**

**Selected Saturdays**

**9 a.m. - 12 p.m.**

**Essex HHW Facility**

Rte. 9, Exit 4, Dump Road, Essex

**June 17th**

**Sept 23rd**

**2017**

**Events for the 16 towns of:**

Chester, Clinton, Cromwell, Deep River, Durham,  
East Hampton, Essex, Haddam, Killingworth, Lyme,  
Middlefield, Middletown, Old Lyme, Old Saybrook,  
Portland and Westbrook

**Household Hazardous Waste**

**Selected Saturdays**

**9 a.m. - 1 p.m.**

**Clinton Public Works Garage**

117 Nod Road, Clinton

**April 8th**

**Colchester-East Hampton  
Water Pollution Control Facility**

20 Gildersleeve Drive, East Hampton

**April 29th**

**Middlesex Community College**

100 Training Hill Road, Middletown

**Sept 30th**

**Paper Shredding**

**Selected Saturdays**

**9 a.m. - 12 p.m.**

**Colchester-East Hampton  
Water Pollution Control Facility**

20 Gildersleeve Drive, East Hampton

**June 10th**

**Middlefield Community Center**

405 Main Street, Middlefield

**Aug 19th**

**ADDITIONAL RECYCLING  
INFORMATION !!!**

**CONSUMER ELECTRONICS &  
MATTRESSES**

These items can now be brought  
to each town's transfer station or  
landfill, at no cost; materials will be  
recycled.

**LATEX AND OIL BASE PAINTS**

Unwanted leftover latex or oil base  
paints can be brought to  
participating retail stores,  
participating transfer stations or  
household hazardous waste  
collections. Go to [paintcare.org](http://paintcare.org) for  
additional information.

**Commercial HHW**

Commercial hazardous waste accepted by  
appointment only.

*(Contact River COG for information.)*

**Paper Shredding Note:**

**LIMIT 5** bags or boxes  
Approx. 9" h. x 18" w. x 12" d.

No junk mail, magazines, books,  
cards, envelopes, metal ring-  
binders, etc. will be accepted at  
paper shredding events.